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1. At Brebeni, in the Olt district, peasants recently set fire to the kolkhoz. Nearly all the stock of cereals and the agricultural machines were destroyed. Numerous arrests were carried out by the Militia. The leader of the kolkhoz was arrested on a charge of not having shown sufficient vigilance.
2. The latest acts of sabotage and the revolts of the peasants against the organs of the Militia and the Communist mayors of the villages are seriously perturbing the leaders in Bucharest. Fearing that the application of reprisals would provoke more intense revolts, and having ascertained that many members of the Militia refuse to open fire against the peasants, they have devised a new method to give more positive results. An army has been set up, composed of the lowest elements of the population and of the unemployed. They are sent to the villages that show signs of revolt and enter peasants homes on various pretenses, to determine their attitude toward the Regime, or toward the authority of the village.
3. All their denunciations are taken into consideration and arrests follow which are carried out singly and in a discreet manner. The peasants are arrested during the night or they are invited to the nearest town by an administrative authority. As soon as they are out of the village they are arrested and every trace of them is lost.
4. In many districts the peasants have discovered this "new army" and have clashed with these elements. At the village of Nana, the peasants killed one of these informers after having compelled him to declare in public what his role was, who had sent him there, and the names of the other informers who had managed to come into the village and mingle among the peasants.
5. At the end of November 1950, eight men of the Electro Precizia Factory at Brasov were arrested on a charge of having sabotaged the output by damaging the most important machine for the production of electric energy. The factory in question began operating at the beginning of 1950, but had to stop working because of the damage to the above mentioned machine, which had been sent from the Soviet Union.
6. A group of the resistance movement in Moldavia, set fire to the Letea paper mill at Bacau on 27 November 1950. It is alleged that a part of the factory has been destroyed. This is the second time the factory has been set on fire.

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7. Street fighting exerciss by members of the Militia are taking place daily at the Bucharest suburbs of Tei and Floreasca. The Floreasca race track is now being used for this purpose.
8. The Bucharest Security Police is preparing lists of undesirables. The purpose of this measure is to remove from the capital all persons within the working classes that are considered as reactionary. The measure became effective on 1 January 1951 and provides for the gradual expulsion from Bucharest of these persons. [] the real purpose of the measure is to expel all persons that could be used against the Regime at a given moment.

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